Fiscal Estimate - 2009 Session

Original Updated	Corrected Supplemental										
LRB Number 09-0732/1	Introduction Number AB-0052										
Description Bottling of water provided by a local governmental unit											
Fiscal Effect											
Appropriations Revo	ease Existing enues rease Existing enues to absorb within agency's budget										
Local: No Local Government Costs Indeterminate 1. Increase Costs Permissive Mandatory 2. Decrease Costs Permissive Mandatory Permissive Mandatory Permissive Mandatory Permissive Mandatory Permissive Mandatory Districts Districts											
Fund Sources Affected Affected Ch. 20 Appropriations GPR FED PRO PRS SEG SEGS 20.370(4)(mq)											
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Description									
Bottling of water provided by a local governmental unit									

Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

Bill Summary:

This bill requires a person who proposes to bottle water, using more than 25 percent of the water produced by a local governmental unit, such as a municipal water district, to obtain approval from the Department of Natural Resources (DNR). The bill prohibits DNR from providing its approval unless it determines that the bottling of the water will not impair the ability of the local governmental unit to furnish water to the public and will not have a significant adverse environmental impact.

Fiscal Effect:

Annual Costs:

The bill will increase annual costs to the Department by an estimated \$7,900 of salary and supplies related expenditures associated with 0.11 FTE. This estimate of fiscal impact includes costs associated with 1) assisting and guiding water bottling businesses, which are required to obtain department approval, prepare an environmental impact statement and 2) Department review of the EIS prepared by water bottling applicants. The Department estimates that applications would be infrequent - possibly one every 3-5 years.

The individual elements of this fiscal estimate are itemized below. Note: Because the Department estimates that only one approval would be required every 3-5 years, the following assessment and review costs were divided by three to obtain an annual cost.

Impact Assessment: When approvals are requested, a detailed assessment will be required to determine if there will be a significant adverse environmental impact. The Department assumes this assessment would cost approximately \$70,000 and take about 12 months to complete. The Department assumes that it can require that the cost of the study be borne by the applicant.

Department staff would be involved during development of the study by providing assistance and guidelines to the applicant and responding to questions form the applicant, its consultant and other interested parties. Because technical studies of this type are not common and consultants will likely have many questions, the Department estimates that DNR staff involvement during the study development would require approximately 200 hours of an advanced hydrogeologist's time per study.

200 hrs/1820 per FTE = 0.11 FTE (Hydrogeologist Adv.)

Hydrogeologist – Adv. (\$32.06/hr salary and fringe) x 2080 + 5200 supplies related expenditures = \$71,900 x 0.11 = \$7,900

Review of Impact Assessment: Following completion and submittal of the above study, the Department estimates that approximately 400 hours of DNR staff time would be required to review the study, recommend an action (approval or disapproval) and any required conditions of an approval and provide the public with an opportunity to comment on action.

400 hrs/1820 per FTE = 0.22 FTE (Hydrogeologist Adv.)

Hydrogeologist – Adv. (\$32.06/hr salary and fringe) x 2080 + 5200 supplies related expenditures = \$71,900 x 0.22 = \$15,800

TOTAL ANNUALIZED COSTS: (\$7,900 + \$15,800)/3yrs = \$7,900/yr and (0.11 FTE + 0.22 FTE)/3 yrs = 0.11 FTE/yr.

One Time Costs:

The bill will increase costs to the Department by an estimated \$ 18,000 of salary and supplies related to development of a new administrative code. The Department estimates that it will take 0.25 FTE of Water Supply Specialist time to develop the new administrative code needed to implement this legislation. This estimate is based on the amount the amount of time spent on a previous development.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications

Fiscal Estimate Worksheet - 2009 Session

Detailed Estimate of Annual Fiscal Effect

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A. Stat	te Costs by	Category									
		- Salaries ar	nd Fringes			\$7,	300	\$			
	Position Ch					(0.1 F	TE)				
State	e Operations	- Other Cost	:S				600				
Loca	al Assistance										
Aids	to Individual	s or Organiza	ations								
T	TOTAL State Costs by Category					\$7,	900	\$			
B. Stat	te Costs by	Source of F	unds								
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FED											
PRC)/PRS										
SEG	SSEG-S (Env	vironmental F	und)			7,	900				
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GPF	R Taxes						\$		\$		
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PRC)/PRS										
	SSEG-S										
TOTAL State Revenues					\$	\$					
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NET CHANGE IN COSTS				\$7,	900	\$					
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